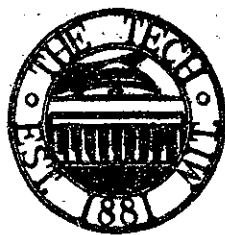


# The Tech



"Let's Set The Rising Sun"

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CAMBRIDGE, MASS., FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1942

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## GLENN MILLER TO PLAY SUNDAY

### Roly Rogers For Formal Dance

Junior Prom Fiesta  
Features "Downbeat's"  
Sweet Music Favorite

Second dance of the Junior  
Week-end will be held in  
Memorial Building from  
12:00 P.M. Roly Rogers and  
orchestra have been signed to  
the music for this informal  
which closes the second day  
activities.

Rogers, up - and - coming  
musician, and one of the  
young band leaders to appear  
in England in a long time,  
going to "Down Beat," the mag-  
azine of the music world, is the  
Committee's answer to those  
who have demanded a good band  
for this affair.

#### Twelve Piece Band

Rogers is a purveyor of the sweet  
sound of music. He has built up an  
orchestra of twelve pieces, most  
of which is Hugh Kelleher,  
on drums. Kelleher was for-  
merly starred with Johnny Long  
in his orchestra.

Members of Rogers' instrumental-  
band were formerly featured with  
bands as Bob Chester, Les  
Claude Thornhill, Newt  
and Mal Hallett. Among the  
accomplishments of this band is  
the fact that it is the only local  
band to have appeared at the  
Pole Ballroom since the  
Pole instituted a policy of  
no bands."

MILLER AND SINGER



### Childerhose Spends Excess Prom Profits To Assure Success Of Prom Weekend

Glenn Miller and his band have  
been signed to play at the Sunday  
afternoon tea dance in the Burton  
Room of the Dormitories, it was re-  
vealed in a surprise announcement  
early this evening by Dick Childer-  
hose, Junior class prexy, and chair-  
man of the Junior Prom Com-  
mittee.

This announcement came as a  
complete surprise, but Chilly ex-  
plained that ticket sales resulted in  
an income of over \$2,700 more than  
the budget called for. Fearing to  
ruin the work of his fourth term  
stay as president by the scandal of  
a dance that made money, Chilly  
contracted Miller last evening and  
signed him up at a reported sum  
of \$32,250. Reliable sources indi-  
cate that there is a strong possi-  
bility that this money will be paid  
Miller in the form of defense  
stamps bought from Cutoff Bones,  
and Button M. Rowes, two mem-  
bers of the Junior class who re-  
cently left Tech to work for the  
Treasury Department as Defense  
Stamps salesmen.

This will be Glenn Miller's first  
appearance at Tech since Friday,  
October 28, 1938, when he played at  
the Field Day Dance. Marion Hut-  
ton, Miller's present singer, also  
appeared with him at that time.  
Early this evening in a hasty tele-  
phone interview with The Tech,  
Miss Hutton, at present in New  
York, stated that she is "eagerly  
looking forward to returning to  
Tech."

### Wet Weather, Becoming Wetter And Wetter For Weekend

According to the latest reports  
available early this evening from  
Fennell's and Central Distributing,  
both far-famed weather experts for  
all Technology parties, the outlook  
for the weather for this week-end  
is very favorable.

Reports indicate that in both  
Dorms and frats this will be one of  
the wettest week-ends on weather,  
with the weather becoming wetter  
and wetter as the week-end  
progresses, followed by clouds,  
storms and bicarbs on Monday.

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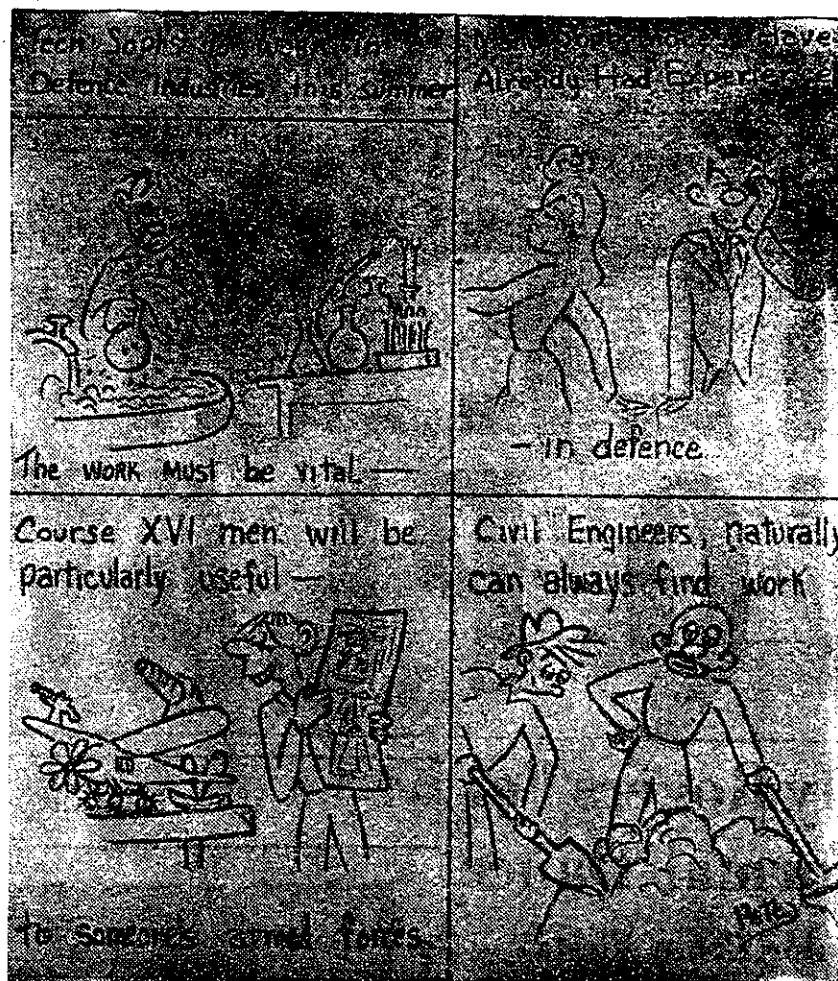
## WE GIVE VOO DOO A CHANCE

A rivalry, more intense than the Martin-Coy family feud and more one-sided than the American League, has existed for many years between The Tech, father and guardian spirit of all Technology publications, and Voo Doo, the prodigal son. The Tech has been challenged to football games, basketball games, baseball games, bowling matches, and crap-shooting contests by the ambitious but misguided members of Phos's following. And never once has The Tech failed to retaliate with as severe a trouncing as ever was administered to any contingent, Brooklyn or otherwise.

Realizing that such American games as those mentioned above may possibly be as far removed from Voo Doo's field as writing a humor magazine, The Tech has surrendered, after much meditation and consideration, to an impulse that has long been with us. Although we are probably jeopardizing our perfect record of no losses to Voo Doo teams in twenty years of competition, we have decided to toss caution to the four winds, crawl over the fence, and invade Phos's own backyard. As a gesture of typical The Tech sportsmanship, we will agree, if Voo Doo so desires, to meet her representatives in a beer-drinking bout, a contest which, we feel, will give every possible advantage to the ale-loving, tavern-frequenting play boys of Voo Doo.

To Messrs. Metzger, Spitz, and Swanberg, we address our challenge. We offer to meet upon any field of battle they designate a squad composed of any number of men they wish at any time they desire. We insist, however, upon one rigid limitation to Voo Doo's activities in the match; we will permit no ringers whose names are put in the masthead simply to provide material for bolstering Phos's unskilled, doomed-to-defeat recruits.

## GOD SAVE AMERICA (FROM SOPHS)



## For Boys To Play

by G. U. Smell

... rather than leave in doubt any of you sots who have by now found a most annoying habit of spitting questions and do not serve towels, we have decided to smudge this column with the necessary information and put you at ease. First try focusing your eyes this way rather than on the date dragged by your worst enemy whom you have even greeted this evening in hope of an introduction—without any results. He's probably figured out by now the reason for your change of heart. He's seen you staring all evening.

... no, we haven't seen "Muscles" Marakass for over an hour, but there's a possibility that he's attempting to refill his depleted financial reserves again at the expense of the "girls" in another friendly bridge game.

... sorry, Bernie, we haven't seen the "Beaver," but have you investigated the cause of those columns falling? They look like Beaver toothpicks. Yes, Bea, we know where Dick Childerhose is—but you can't go in there.

... congratulations, Schaefer, we see you finally got in touch with Margie. She had you worried, didn't she? Where is Jim Spitz? Oh, he's resting under the bar. He

has to row tomorrow. Go glad to be of service, Barbara ... will somebody please Metzger to stop purring. It's Tech night, Oak, Phos has nated for another month. out of your reverie, O'Hara wipe that silly grin off your Detroit's in Michigan; Boston Massachusetts and never the shall meet.

... where's your table, Mough? Why it's number sixty thing up in the balcony. We think you'd get lost this evening. Yes, your girl's but you needn't hurry she alone. Hark, hark, the lark should we say Harker, Harker. Stop chirping, the woe easy tonight. Watch out for own woman.

... in closing we think it right to make mention of father of the Junior Prom end. Though absent in bod spirit can be found wherever loving Tech fellows have gath Joe Tankoos, known to his friends as "Joe the Tank," gone, having left in our m new and better way of nigh Our only regret is that he here to enjoy some of the fru his efforts.

# DEWEY EXPOSES GRAFT

## Institute Committee Under Fire; The Tech Holds Investigation

Thomas E. Dewey, the noted disattorney, is now on his way to aid The Tech in an investigation of last year's action of Institute Committee in the of the Hotel Statler at 3:00 this morning. All members of organizations are to be present. The query is to be headed by Tyrrell, '43, Manager General Tech.

First man scheduled to be questioned is Karl E. Wenk, '42, late chairman, upon whose blood lies for the \$50,000 donation to the Junior Prom Committee. Also subpoenaed was E. Briber, Jr., '43, new chairman of the Committee. Said Mr. Wenk, "It is hoped that by having me see Wenk confess to his it will be possible to have an ant system worked out by next so that Briber will not get it."

Second man slated to appear for himself is Carl L. McS, '42, chairman of the student faculty committee, and vice-president of the Senior class. The case against McGinnis is to be brought only one complaint against the faculty to the front in year of office. That, oddly enough, was the question of an H of his courses last term.

Franklin D. Mabbett, '43, is to be mentioned in regard to his stand ataternity dances in its relation to the Sherman anti-trust laws. Attempt to run all the Institute activities with an iron hand has questioned as to its legality. said by some that they will their dances whenever they please, specially since of the givers of good parties, the Fenway Eating & Drinking find their's too crowded on when nothing else is happening.

### Tucker Ill, Committee Signs New Orchestras

It was reported early this morning by Dr. Dubb of the Mass. General, that Thomas A. Tucker, noted musician, will be unable to lead his orchestra in the Junior Promenade tonight. A slight inflammation in his right shoulder due to a cold, reported the physician, may prove a little more serious later on.

The Junior Promenade Committee, however, wishes to announce plans for a substitute. At such a late hour, it was impossible to contract anything but third rate bands, but Benjamin A. Goodman has been signed up and Glenn P. Miller, it was further announced, will try to entertain you during intermission. Both bands, it was reported, have considerable local appeal. You are asked to watch them.

The Statler Hotel, further, wishes to announce that nothing will interfere with the use of the Ball Room tonight. A slight conflagration last Wednesday night, which destroyed part of the balcony and the drapes on the east side, has produced no serious consequences. The floor, though flooded several inches from the firemen's three-hour battle, is only slightly damp now. The broken windows will be boarded up. In other words, announced the management, the Ball Room will be practically good as new.

## Espionage Agents Called To Special Institute Meeting

Professor Hans Von Schultz of the electrical engineering department announced last night that he had sent invitations to all the well known Nazi, Fascist, and Japanese spies now residing in the U. S. to attend a special meeting of the Institute staff.

At this meeting, Der Professor said, many of the Institute's most secret experiments would be divulged, and all interested spies would be at liberty to take notes and pictures of anything around Technology that they may deem of importance to Der Vaterland.

Upon further coaxing, the Professor, who said that the facts to be divulged at the meeting are absolutely secret for fear that some Technology student may find out about them, also gave an inkling about the experiments to be discussed. The high light, as far as the members of the Bund are concerned, will undoubtedly be the unveiling of the "automatic flunker." This instrument automatically deposits a double F on the report of any student who doesn't bring the instructor at least one apple each semester. Other inventions of importance to be exhibited are the "Hip-hi" desk, for instructors who prefer remaining on their poster-

iors with feet propped up on the desk, the rapid cribber, for students who prefer to crib on exams without having to suffer the embarrassment of being spied upon, and the super buggerater, for automatically determining the proper factor to solve any problem whatsoever.

"We feel sure," Professor Schultz said, speaking on behalf of the entire staff of the Institute, "that this knowledge in the hands of our enemies will hasten the end of the present conflict."

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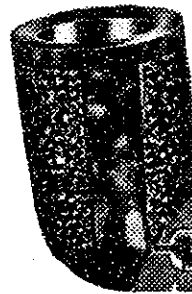
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# COLOSSUS RUNS WILD HUNTS LIVING QUARTER

## First Blackout For Cambridge Affects Tech Little

Last night between 10:00 P.M. and 10:30 P.M. Cambridge, and hence the Institute, experienced the first blackout since World War number II began. It was not noticed by some Technology students who are in a perpetual blackout.

As can be expected, the enforced darkness brought many peculiar things to light, including those heretofore never discussed inhibitions of the far famed Tech Murgatroyd. From 10:00 until 10:30 The Tech news room was flooded with "frightened" womanhood (?), and it was all your correspondent could do to write his stories for this issue in the blackness keeping the fluttering co-eds off his lap.

The dormitories, as usual, obeyed the rule, "no women" to the letter. There was only one call for help, from Goodale 405, when the peace in the dorm office was suddenly shattered by a frantic ringing of the telephone. Upon answering, Mr. Sheldon stated in an interview with The Tech, he could only make out some incoherent murmurings. Beside this episode, shenanigans in the dormitories were held to a minimum by the constant prowling of Professor Hamilton.

Censored by The Tech photography department were a series of infra-red flash pictures taken around the Institute, revealing some more of the inhibitions, and exhibitions, of engineers in the bud. When asked what Freud would have said upon the scrutiny of said pictures, Professor Cy Coe Logy, of the newly formed Psychology Department, merely stated, "Revealing,—very revealing."

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Meal tickets for Tech students.

## Picture on Page 6

Yeeeeow! Screams from the neighborhood of Garland and Erskine. Blood running down the steps of the Theta Chi House. STEMPF IS AT LARGE!!! Women located between Auburndale and South Boston are warned to take cover behind barred windows. Pieces of marble stairways must be glued down immediately!

Ladies and Gentlemen: Don't miss the big massacre. Stempf carrying a bucket full of Sea Breezes was just seen entering an unidentified door on the Fenway. It is reported that in the past a club called Chi Phi was located there, but they disappeared several years ago and have not been heard from since. Ghosts of their defunct members, however, are planning rare revenge on the Black Sheep of the Theta Chi house. The Black Sheep, and a few sheep with tattle-tale gray, are roving the streets trying to find a place to locate the erstwhile Theta Chi Annex which was recently forcibly ejected from one of the local residence hotels after the customers four floors below complained that they couldn't sleep. Because of the apparent imperviousness of the residents at 8 and 24 The Fenway to noises, the Beacon Street Reprobates Club has planned on locating there. When last contacted they had little to say—coherently—from temporary quarters in the Esplanade Cafe.

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## Lost And Found

Lost: one statue of John Harvard from the Harvard yard. Any Tech man finding such, be patriotic: Turn it in for scrap metal.

Found: Two answer books to freshman Physics quiz, a week from Friday. Will the person who lost these please form a line in front of The Tech office.

Lost: In Atkinson one maiden.  
TeeHeeHeeHeeHeeHawHaw.

Lost: in blackout, one date.

Lost: one H average after the last E22 Quiz.

Found: one bottle of Paul Jones, now deceased.

Lost: one audience; will same please report to Prof. Magoun on Monday.

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# Van de Graaff Generators Found; To Become Door Prize Junior Prom Tonight

**Harker, '43, Pleads Guilty To Field Day; Generators Found In Chi Phi Basement**

Junior Prom Committee has a stupendous announcement. It has long been a cherished tradition and the highlight of every year to present a prize to the man who brings the largest family to the Prom. Last year, Cathray M. LaPlante, '42, brought his wife, once of the End Row, four little girls, and his great grandchild. The much sought for reward, the Toll Concession of the Lynn Bridge, was presented at 11 A.M. culminating the hilarity of the year, however, with Nazi occupying the bridge, it was thought that the prize might be a profitable one. It was up to the Committee to institute a new prize.

Prom Committee was at a loss, that is, till James T. Harker, '43, began turning green, alternating between confusion and stubbornness to admit defeat. So they appealed to him, pleaded, harangued him, and finally Jim rose, took one look at his few friends, stumbled down to the Chi Phi basement, and brought two big silver spheres. The theft of Field Day Eve was exposed.

So the long-lost Van deGraaff generators will be given away at 11 P.M. tonight at the Hotel Statler ballroom. The Committee hopes these will become a new tradition and a regular Prom feature. When not in use, the generators will be set up in Tech's back for any of the Course VIII to diddle with.

## T's Tomato Bowl Rose Bowl Game

Rose Bowl committee of Pasadena, California, has announced that the Technology Bowl will be used for the annual Rose Bowl game for the duration of the present war.

The reason for this action is that the famed Rose Bowl has been taken over by the California Institute of Technology in conjunction with the United States army for the purpose of testing time bombs intended for Japanese consumption.

## Powers—Gaspape Cult Nabbed; Both Confess To Flatfeet

Exposed last night in a spurious plot to reveal Institute secrets to foreign spies were public enemy number 13, Commodore D. Madman Powers, '43, and his bashful undercover man, J. Gaspape McMullin. The arrest of Powers was the direct result of the apprehension of Gaspape, who was caught in Building 99 making a copy of the Tryiton.

Chewing on his circular slide rule at the 13th precinct station Gaspape remarked, "I ain't never seed dis guy Powers before, you can't prove nuttin." Flatfeet at the station revealed that Gaspape had gained an entrance to Institute defense projects by donning a freshman tie and explaining to guards that he was gaining ideas for his hobby shop project.

### Powers Writhes

Powers, meantime, writhing on the floor of the Building 10 safety vault was muttering incoherently to himself, though officers in charge reported such fragmentary statements as, "After all these years, months, days, quarter hours, fractional seconds, to have this happen," "I hate to disappoint the fellows," and "I equals ER squared over U times 3X to the tenth plus a small bugger factor."

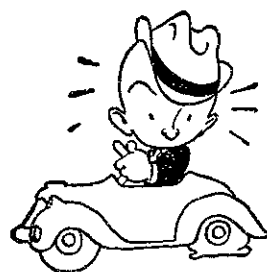
In the palatial sixth floor dormi-

tory suite used as a hideout by these super criminals, detectives discovered large quantities of stolen radio equipment, a private telephone direct to Tokyo, a Varga calendar and six second hand auto tires. Slumped over a vacant desk in one corner of the room was the unconscious body of an unidentified moron, probably the victim of one of Gaspape's and Power's fiendish schemes.

So remember, dear readers, crime does not pay.

## Haas To Amuse Jap Debate Team With Cyclotron

Arrangements were made today by Dick Zeamer, Debating Society manager, to debate the University of Kobe team on the subject of "Resolved, Japan is (one word censored)." M.I.T. will take the negative side of the question. An innovation is to be introduced into the procedure of the debate by Ward Haas, the Debate Society's Vice-President and Head of the Operations Division. The Japs will be entertained before the debate by the Tech coeds, (Geishas), after which they will receive an explanation of the harmlessness of the inside of the cyclotron during its operation. They will be allowed to sit on the brushes inside the cyclotron while it operates. It is anticipated that M.I.T. will win this debate.



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## Thwimmin Wimen???? Eeeeyipeeeee!!!!

Challenging the varsity in a grim water battle, the co-ed team of the University of Connecticut will invade Technology 3:00 P.M., Saturday afternoon at the Alumni Pool. Technology is determined to beat these women to avenge the close defeat they received last time of  $9.76 \times 10^{53}$  to  $e^{1.8}$ .

Jack Hunn has been polishing up under Mr. Snow and is expected to break the high diving record of five feet. Jack has already won two firsts and three seconds. Due to a change in rules, Jack's diving skill is allowed free rein, and he will be allowed to jump in feet first. He is also allowed to hold his nose.

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COVERS

**JUNIOR PROM WEEKEND**

March Issue Coming Soon

## *Eight Crew Men Drowned— Almost To Death—In Charles*



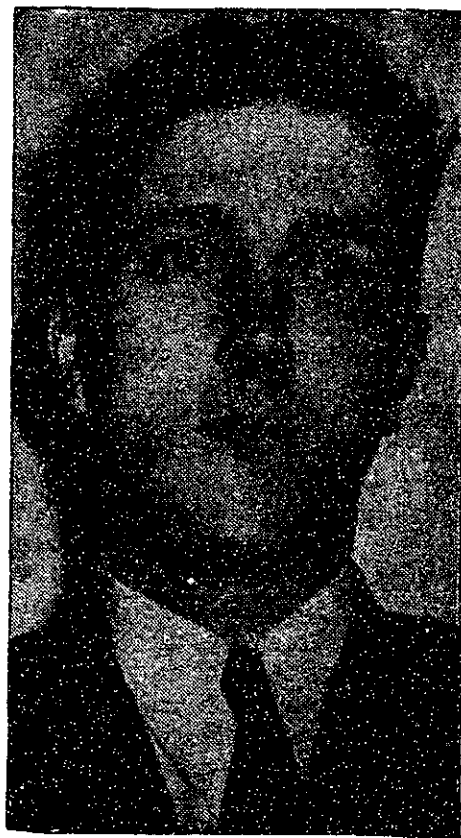
Spitz reached for a beer can. It was empty after all.

## *Rare Monstrosity Uncovered At 528 Beacon Street House*



Theta Chi's Rushing Chairman goes after another prospect.

### THE ANGEL



Frank Herlihy, caught by The Tech photographer with a pleading look on his face, as he tried to beg a free ticket from this year's J. P. Comm.

### MILITARIST



James Harker divests himself of Uniform to attend Junior Prom in tails. To be seen in Public minus Uniform for first time since Dec. 7.

## Dormitory Disciplinarians Seek Stalker Of Room

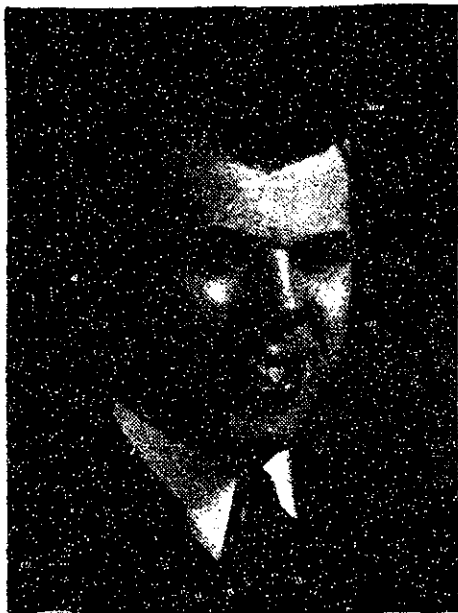


Atrocious crime committed on eve of Junior Prom by Blackout Vandal trying to lift Prom Ticket from Childerhose's Room. Herlihy is Suspected.



Five Super Sleuths Don South Sea Island disguises in heated search for Blackout Marauder. Their hunt for "Angel" Herlihy has been localized in vicinity of Statler Bar.

### EXTORTIONIST



Childerhose, Junior Class Prexy, Splits Prom Profits With Glenn Miller. (See Story Page 1).

### WAR BABIES PRACTISE



Sophomore R.O.T.C. Engineers put new knowledge of Demolitions to practical use in blowing up Room 3-440.

# S. James Spitz Reforms, Swears Off Intoxicants As Boston Dives Suffer

## Dorm Frosh Safe From Spitz Blitz, Praise Coach Moch

S. (for Soddin) Jim Spitz, uncrowned victor of countless beer brawls and lord high magistrate of the Scollay Square region, has at last gone on the water wagon, he revealed to a reporter from The Tech in an exclusive interview last night.

When informed of the startling news, local barkeepers wept large tears in their beers and uttered pitiful moans of anguish. Scollay Square residents staged a blackout in memoriam to their fallen hero. The Esplanade Cafeteria immediately filed a suit of bankruptcy.

### Dorm Frosh Safe

No more will dormitory freshmen tremble as Big Jim leaves his gin soaked den for a walk. Never again will they be forced to carry his alcohol drenched remains up three flights of stairs to his bed in the dark of night, nor lie awake nights listening to his hearty voice cursing the little pink elephants invading his room.

The assembled crowd tonight will see the last binge in the life of Voo Doo's greatest sot, no glass will leave his lips undrained, myriad waiters will be kept busy appeasing his insatiable thirst. Alas poor Barbara, daughter of a W.C.T.U. president.

With his revelation that he had signed the pledge, Spitz announced that he would continue the illustrious crew career which last year saw him dive overboard on two occasions when he noticed a bottle bobbing about in the waves of the Charles River Basin.

Spitz's decision to quit the bottle and turn out for crew has resulted in a rise to prominence for Bobby Moch, crew coach. Moch has jumped into the limelight as a leading candidate for the Pulitzer Peace Prize, the committee on Pulitzer awards announced last night. The committee is considering Moch because of the great advances he has made towards an enduring peace by his removal of troublemaker Spitz from public attention.

## Uprising Of Tech Students Alters Punk Coop Setup

Because of the discontent which has been shown by all Tech students patronizing the Harvard Co-operative Society with the manner in which the Tech coop has been run for the past year, the management of the coop is being reorganized.

The most important change that will be effected is that Mr. Donald M. Nelson, who has been doing some work for the government, has been hired at a paltry sum to become the new general manager and soda-jerker. In order that pickled ham will be on hand when it is desired, Mr. William Knudsen has been recalled from Washington and has been given charge of kitchen production.

To assure its customers that no more salad-bowl haircuts will be given at the barbershop, the coop has hired those three French hairstylists, Borise Karloff, Baala Lughousie, and Lean Chanie. People patronizing the new barbershop are assured that they will not return with complaints.

## Institute Joins In College Clan

The Technology news service has been authorized to announce that plans for the proposed Technology-Simmons-Wellesley-Radcliffe-Smith-Mt. Holyoke - Katy Gibbs - Sargent merger are well under way. Final action will take place about the end of next week, pending approval by the I.C.C.

In certain cases, such as the divorcing of Radcliffe from Harvard, it was necessary to call out two companies of M.I.T. ROTC in order to convince the boys from "up the river" of the validity of the Tech claims.

The general plan of merger is to place brownbaggers from all schools on the Technology and Simmons campuses. More normal students from these two schools will be distributed throughout the remaining schools.

## Matador Sets Institute Records

This year's freshman personality is the unrivaled, unparalleled, unsurpassed and invincible master of the art of Tauroballistics, George B. Dee. Senor B. Dee first came to the United States three years ago directly from his native Mexico City, where he had been chief Matador, because of his uncanny skill of grabbing the bull by the horns and flinging it farther than had anyone else in the history of the bull-ring.

Senor B. Dee first became aware of his talents when in Switzerland, the time he wrestled a small bull calf unarmed. Naturally the calf had no chance, as it didn't have a leg to stand on. Nevertheless, B. Dee began to work himself up until he could throw the most unbelievable amount of bovine material to the constant amazement of his audiences.

However, upon his arrival in Technology he outdid his wide reputation, in the bull ring he established on the second floor, throughout Walcott, the rest of the dorms, and this column places Senor George B. Dee among the immortals of the class of '45, '46, and '47, all of whom will have the honor of claiming for their own.

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# Goodies Favored In Cage Finals

Goodale, Hoop, Champs  
Toughen Up For Meet;  
Confident  
Clean Sweep

Men of the Goodale dormi-  
basketball team, dormitory  
ons, are slowly getting into  
on preparatory to meet the  
s in the finals of the Beaver  
basketball tournament.

Delta Delta Delta team, which  
through the soror-frat part  
tournament, was as confi-  
s ever that not even the  
men of Goodale could beat  
ed stars in the first game  
round robin.

Virginia LaMarr, little sister  
famous Hedy, who was last  
ected queen of the Tech-  
campus, revealed that she  
e only one who had any  
about walking away with  
ne. She said that the chance  
he famous forward Gregory  
Azarian, '43, in action would  
too, too, diverting.

Tri-Delts were, at the begin-  
f the tournament, a dark  
ntry. The Chi Phi fraternity  
e Delta Tau Delta sorority  
ven an equal chance to walk  
with the tournament. There  
e, however, no resisting the glam-  
o-eds. They beat every frat  
least a forty point margin,  
n some of the sororities were  
put up stiffer resistance.

correspondent, who was  
ng the Tri-Delts practice last  
came away with the firm  
on that the girls would go  
n the rest of the season un-  
d.

e, twinkle, little star,  
riding in a car.  
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at I'm knitting ain't for  
ttin'.

## Oaf, Phos Finance Subversive Element On West Coast

Local representatives of the  
F.B.I. have announced that Robert  
A. Metzger, '44, has been taken into  
custody on charges of un-American  
activities. The agents explained  
that the federal agency cracked  
down when it was discovered that  
his magazine, a subversive publica-  
tion known as Voo Doo, was financ-  
ing certain western fifth column  
groups.

Metzger, on being interviewed,  
began the conversation with, "&(\$  
!7/8/-% &@1b\$0ff)(1b%&" in Ger-  
man. He added that this statement  
was only tentative.

The information about Voo Doo  
came out when a Voo Doo investi-  
gation into their bankruptcy re-  
vealed large sums of money unac-  
counted for. It was revealed that  
this money had been donated, via  
Switzerland, to a subversive ele-  
ment on our West Coast. Rumor  
has it that said subversive element  
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Catalogue for the academic year  
Summer Session Bulletin

## DOPEY MADE ALL ARRANGEMENTS BUT SHE SAID, NO



## Institute Fence Newest Barrier To Lawn Violat

The Massachusetts Institute of Technology has asked The Tech to announce that the new structure now beautifying the ground in front of the Institute is a fence. This fence has been recently constructed of the highest grade steel and concrete and reinforced with an intricate pattern of heavy impenetrable wire.

Without letting out any secrets we can say that the fence is constantly charged with thousands of volts and is equipped with extremely dangerous poison barbs on the barbed wire at the top of said construction in addition to an extremely complicated system of electric circuits which have been incorporated that the slightest pressure at any point on the fence sets off a concealed battery of .50 caliber machine guns so placed as to range the entire length of the fence in case of murderous fire.

The reason given for the construction of such a fence is simple. The students must be taught to stay off the grass.

## Alleged Proposal To Marion Hutton Revealed

J. Franklin Tyrol III is involved in the greatest scandal ever known at the Institute. Tyrol, reporter on a student publication, has proposed to glamorous Marion Hutton, songstress for Glenn Miller's Band—and she has accepted!!

It happened this way. Tyrol was attending a dance in a local dance hall with his sweetheart, Margie Tart of burlesque fame. Glenn Miller's band was performing, and every time Miss Hutton sang a number, Tyrol had to be forcibly restrained. At the end of the evening, he weaved his way to a telegraph office, and sent the following tender message to Marion: "Darling—stop—My life is empty without you—stop—Will you consent to be my

shouse—don't stop." He enclosed a wirephoto of Clark Gable. Marion, swept off her size 12's, immediately replied, via the wireless, "You said it, sonny!" The wedding is to be held as soon as Marion's old marriage ties are Renovated.

As soon as Margie heard the sad news, she consumed 4.8 grams of arsenic, and passed from this world, moaning, "Oh my dear Johnnie . . . hic, Oh Johnnie . . . Oh . . . hic!"

Four of Tyrol's cohorts, Hairy Hottinger, Sr., Stewbum Roe, R. Robust Poorman, and I. Needa Moll, are to serve as his best men. This is the first time any one of them has been the best man in any gathering he has attended. Needless to say they will be best men in name only. They will help the

blushing bridegroom locate his collar buttons, . . . or his green spats, . . . or they will carry off the bride, . . . or carry in the groom, . . . or, hic, carry almost anything including distilled spirits, except in bottles.

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## h Pucksters Smother Bruins; Receive Offers From R.C.A.F.

unusual after-season spurt, technology hockey team red the Boston Bruins, Stanley holders, 5-2, in an exhibition in the Garden last night. Heroes of the fray were the co-ops who took two goals apiece last canto to completely amazed professionals. Pucksters first showed promise when Kaneb and son, Engineer defensemen, the persistent rushes of the throughout the early period. Second round the Ross-men offensive as Dick Bettes on a long shot from the blue the remainder of the twenty s was entirely Beaver-con-

third stanza saw a renewed on the part of Dit Clapper, captain and the star of the as he rifled the puck into t in the opening minutes. Each goalie took his eyes off

the admiring crowd long enough to send Christison upon a reciprocal rush which netted him a score. Clapper and Jackson concluded their scoring with a quick shot which again caught the goalie waving to a blonde in the audience. The Tech stars then seized control and eased the score to M.I.T. 5, Bruins 2, as the game ended.

Considerably weakened by the loss of their Kraut line, the Bruins were still in a position to smash a lesser team. The early return of Clapper after his ankle injury provided the pro's with a strong forward line which upon several occasions looked powerful enough to ice the match.

The victory for the Engineers was completely unexpected. Smarting under eight straight defeats the Beavers were given a Bronx cheer by sports writers. The outcome made Bill Cunningham swoon, although he has since recovered. After the encounter the stars were offered positions with the R.C.A.F., which now owns the Kraut line.

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## Eleanor Appoints Oscar As W. D. C. N. E. Trainer

Forced by truth-seeking reporters of The Tech, the Institute has acknowledged that Oscar Hedlund, mentor of the tracksters, has been appointed physical instructor for the Women's Defense Corps of New England. Oscar's new position comes as a result of his acquaintance with Mrs. Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

The new task will not force Oscar to give up his present job. He will receive \$54.33 1/4 a year for instructing his charges in the use of the aborigine boomerang.

## Whittles, Ancient Student, Promoted To Voo Doo Staff

After an election last evening, the chief inebriate of Voo Doo, Robert Metzger, '44, announced an addition (or subtraction) to that rag: J. Appleby Whittles, 19?, has been promoted to succeed Frank L. Ustt, '44, the previous junior assistant vice-bull-thrower, who was caught last week by the dean as he was going to CENSORED X X X X X

The new member of the staff has had much experience along technological lines. Admitted to the Institute in 1927, he soon made himself prominent by flunking P.T. consecutively for seven terms. The coach took an enforced vacation then. Mr. Whittles continued with his education in freshman subjects patiently until he received the distinction of being named the first life member of the Institute's tutorial sections. Mr. Whittles also claims that he was the originator of the theory that F does not equal ma!!

Mr. Whittles is well known upon our campus. He has been an asso-

ciate of the amalgamated Bottlewashers club for several years, as well as a pledge in Tau Beta Datas sop house since his entrance. His plans for the new volume include: A No-Cover Issue, exposing Sally Rand; an issue for all cats, which will include the story of catnip; and an exposure of the Technology co-eds, which will not tell their 'phone numbers. The Tech wishes its new rival many grand slams.

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## Prom Committee Members Listed

The members of the Junior Prom Committee—the gentlemen responsible for this week-end's festivities—the ones to thank if you have a wonderful time, and the ones to gripe at if you don't are the following men:

S. Richard Childerhose  
Bernard Brindis  
Robert J. Schaefer  
George C. Marakas  
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## List Of Ushers Working Tonight

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Head Usher—Henry R. O'Hare, Jr., '43

## PROM REVELERS BEGIN TO ARRIVE



Lengthy Line Awaits Introduction To Chaperones, While Ushers Take Opportunity to Become Acquainted.

## Following Locales For Punch Parties

Between the hours 4:00 to 6:00 P.M. tomorrow, all students of Technology and their guests are cordially invited to attend the Junior Prom Weekend punch parties. The fraternities acting as hosts for the Saturday afternoon affairs are as follows.

Delta Psi, 428 Memorial Drive  
Delta Kappa Epsilon,  
403 Memorial Drive  
Sigma Alpha Epsilon,  
484 Beacon Street  
Delta Upsilon, 526 Beacon Street  
Chi Phi, 22 Fenway  
Phi Gamma Delta, 28 Fenway

## Remaining Major Events Of Junior Prom Weekend

Remaining major events of this, the first Junior Prom week-end at Technology in a decade are as follows:

- 1) Tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon—punch parties in several of Technology's twenty-four fraternity houses. These punch parties, open to all, are jointly sponsored by the Interfraternity Conference, the Five-Fifteen Club, and the Dormitory Committee.
- 2) Tomorrow evening — buffet supper in Walker Memorial, followed by an informal dance to the music of Roly Rogers and his orchestra.
- 3) Sunday afternoon — a tea, in the Burton Room of the Dormitories.

## Junior's Week Gets Off To Good Start, As Dance Proves Success

Attracted by the sweet Tommy Tucker time, over a hundred couples are attending the Prom tonight, here in the Ballroom of the Hotel Statler. Featured vocalist of the evening is Amy Arnell, Tommy Tucker's and talented vocalist; while Brown is assisting on the violin.

The first event of a long and happy week-end, the Prom appears to be a huge success with hundreds of happy couples winning and dancing in the Statler, getting in the swing of things in preparation for a long "party" week-end.

Tommy Tucker, one of the younger of the "big band" leaders, has during the past few years built up a large following among college students with his smooth rhythm and distinctive arrangements.

Perhaps the most famous of Tucker's many popular recordings is his recently popular hit "I Want To Set The World On Fire." With Amy Arnell vocalizing, the platter became one of the popular juke-box hits from the coast. The song was practically covered by Mr. Tucker, and he was the first band to make a featured arrangement of it.

Amy Arnell has been with Tommy Tucker since early in his career. Amy attended William and Mary College, and while still a student there, began her singing career, appearing on local programs in her spare time. Her first big time appearance was on the Philadelphiaphone show, when she sang "Every Body Has A Right To Love." "Every Rhythm In My Heart."

At present she is reported to be studying dramatics and directing, with the hope of a stage or screen career.